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For: POLARIZATION APPARATUS AND POLARIZATION
METHOD OF COAXIAL FLEXIBLE PEIZOELECTRIC
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14 sheets of informal drawings are included.

An assignment of the invention to Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., will be forwarded.

Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 on the basis of the following foreign applications:

Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-381866 filed December 15, 2000;
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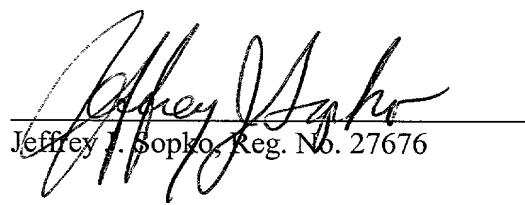
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